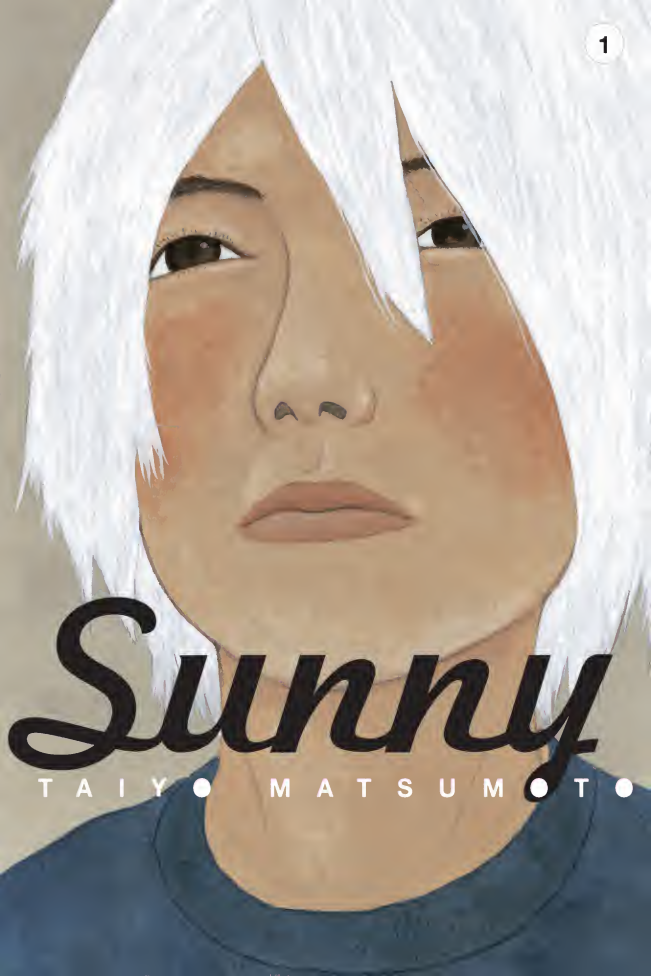


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Sunny

TAI Y • MATSUM • T •





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Sunk
T A I Y ● M A T S U M ● T ●

CHAPTER 6

"Whaddya
think's for
dinner
tonight?"

"Miss Mitsuko
said fritters."

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CHAPTER 5

"Whaddya
do when
you feel like
cryin' at
night?"

"Me, I sing."

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CHAPTER 4

"Whaddya
wanna be
when you
grow up?"

"A spy and
a racecar
driver and
a boxing
champion."

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"Why do girls
always cry?"

"'Cause
almost nothin'
can beat a
girl's tears."

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"Why're
Dracula's
fingernails
so long?"

"'Cause
he doesn't
cut 'em."

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"Where's
Yokohama?"

"I dunno,
somewhere
'round
Tokyo?"

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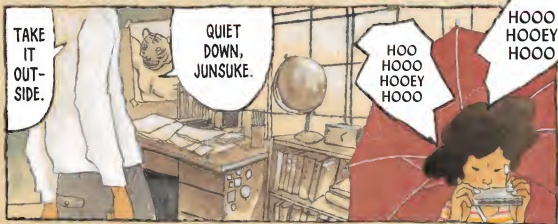
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Yokohama?”

“I dunno,
somewhere
'round
Tokyo?”



HOOEY
HOOEY
HOOO

HOOEY
HOOO



TAKE
IT
OUT-
SIDE.

QUIET
DOWN,
JUNSUKE.

HOO
HOOO
HOOEY
HOOO

HOOO
HOOEY
HOOO



MAYBE
OUT IN
THE SUNNY
AGAIN?

I
DUNNO.

HEY MAKIO,
WHERE'S
HARUO?

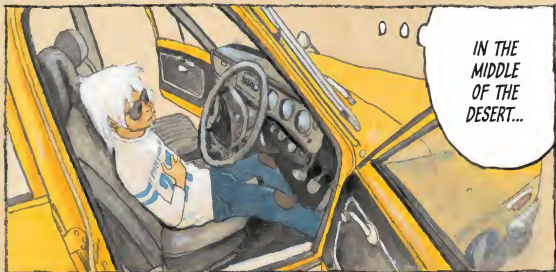


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HOOO

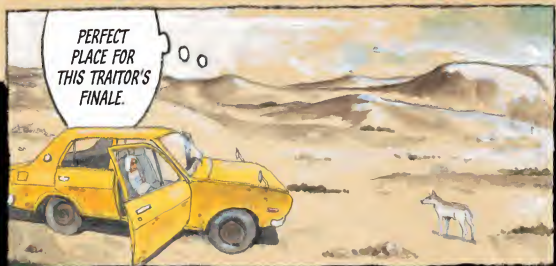




GUNSHOT
WOUND...
BLEEDING
WON'T
STOP...



IN THE
MIDDLE
OF THE
DESERT...



PERFECT
PLACE FOR
THIS TRAITOR'S
FINALE.



COYOTE'S
SNIFFIN'
'ROUND,
DRAWN TO
THE SCENT
OF BLOOD.



HEH
HEH
HEH.

A GUY
LIKE ME
CAN BE
USEFUL
AFTER...



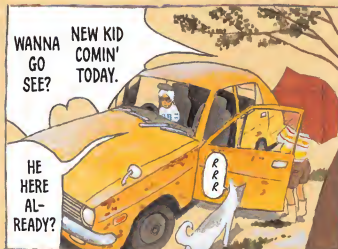
HEH
HEH
HEH...



MY BODY
SHOULD
KEEP HIM
FROM
STARVING.



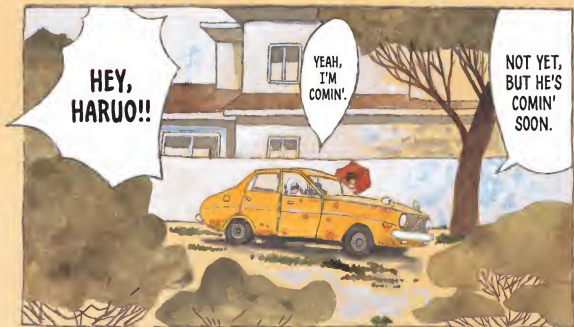
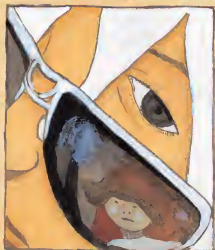
HARU-
OOOO!



WANNA
GO
SEE?

NEW KID
COMIN'
TODAY.

HE
HERE
AL-
READY?



HEY,
HARUO!!

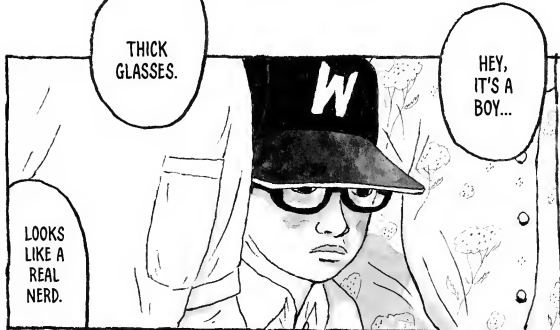
YEAH,
I'M
COMIN'.

NOT YET,
BUT HE'S
COMIN'
SOON.



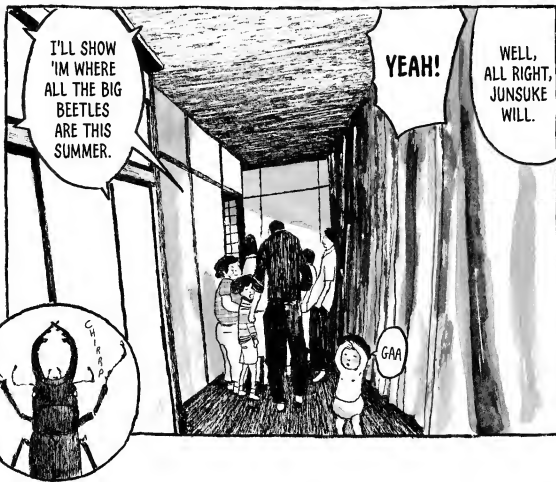
*Sign: Star Kids Home

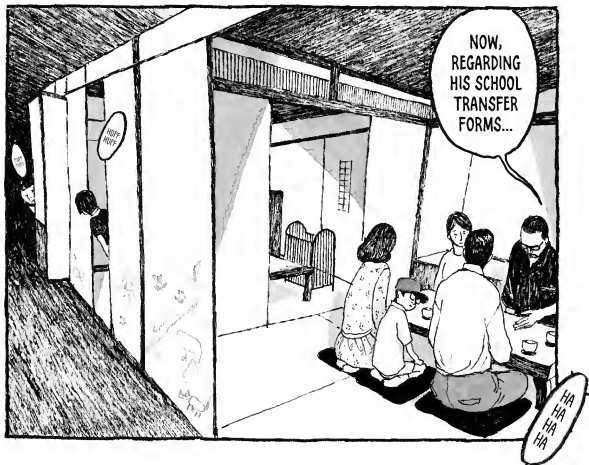




**Tired spectated protagonist of "Daimonji"*









IN
THE MORNING
YA GOTTA TELL
MISS MITSUKO
WHATCHA WANNA
WATCH.

ONLY TWO
HOURS
OF TV A
WEEK.



HOUSE-
MASTER'S
REALLY OLD,
ALMOST
NEVER GETS
OUTTA
BED.



HE'S
PROB'LY
ALMOST
DEAD.
HAHA!



DON'T
FORGET
TO CLEAN
UP HIS
POOP!

WE TAKE
TURNS
WALKING
KURIMARU,
TWICE A
DAY.

ARF

ARF



♪
Row row row
your boat
Gently down
the stream

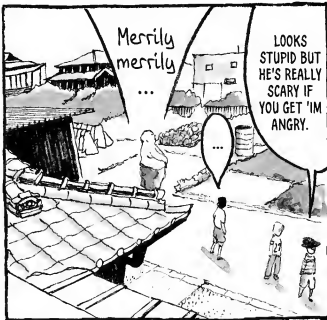


THAT'S
TARO.

Merrily
merrily
...

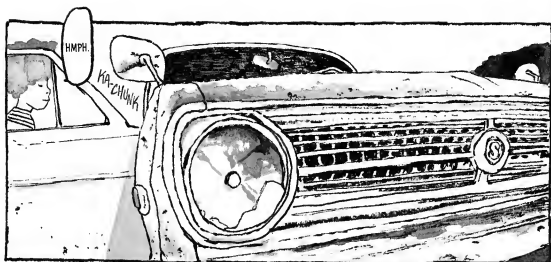


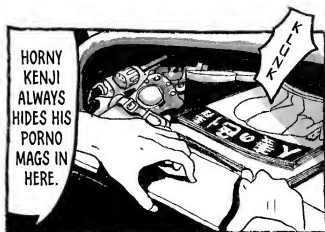
Life is
but a
dream

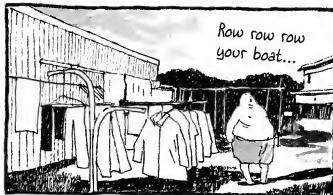


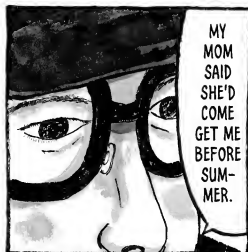
Merrily
merrily
...

LOOKS
STUPID BUT
HE'S REALLY
SCARY IF
YOU GET 'IM
ANGRY.











NO WAY
YOU'RE
GOIN' HOME.

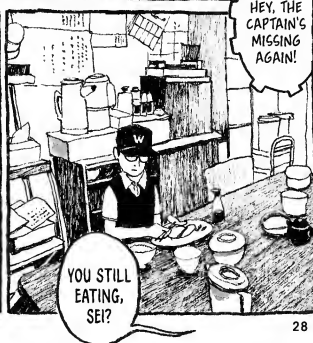
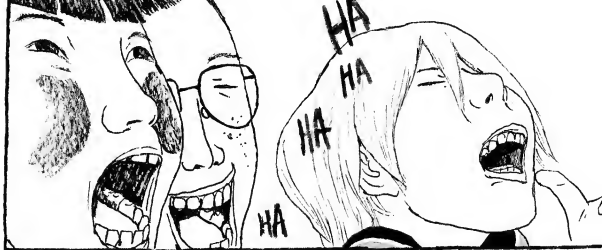


YOU GOT
DUMPED.











GOAT GOAT
GOAT GOAT
GOAT GOAT
TURTLLLE!



Plonk plonk

HORSE HORSE
HORSE HORSE
HORSE HORSE
COWWWW!



WELL
THEN, WHY
DON'TCHA
HELP HIM
GET OUT.

MISS
MITSUKO,
TARO GOT
STUCK IN
THE TUB
AGAIN!

UHHHHH.



I TOLD YOU,
I'M NOT A
GORILLA!

SEI,
YOU'LL
HAVE TO
LEARN TO
EAT A BIT
FASTER.

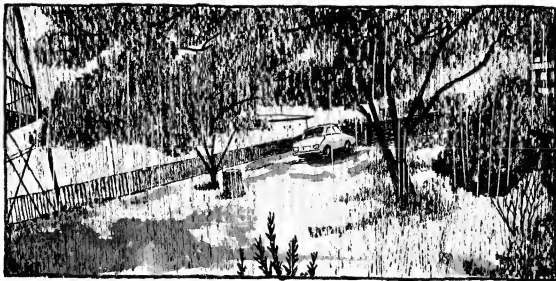
QUIET
DOWN,
JUNSUKE!

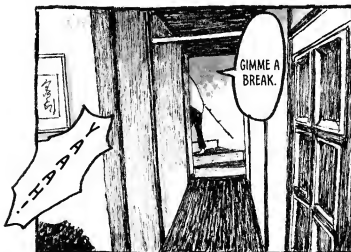
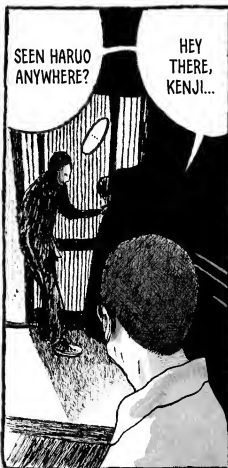
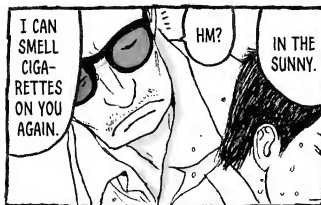
RIBBIT

MUNCH
MUNCH

HA HA HA

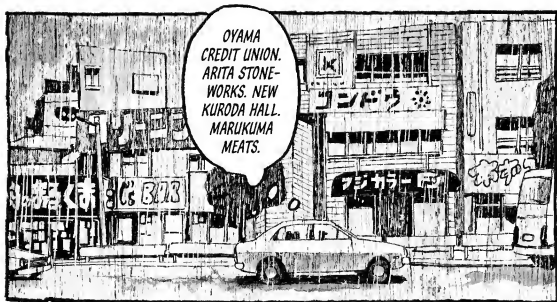
RIBBIT







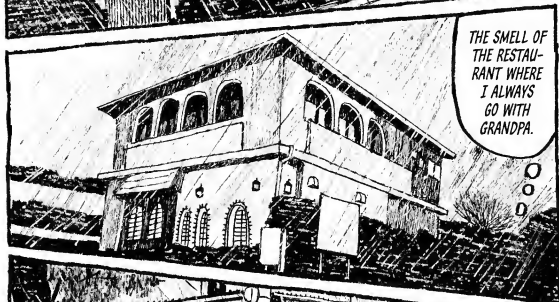




THE SMELL
OF KOGA'S
DAD'S
BARBER
SHOP.



THE SMELL OF
THE RESTAU-
RANT WHERE
I ALWAYS
GO WITH
GRANDPA.

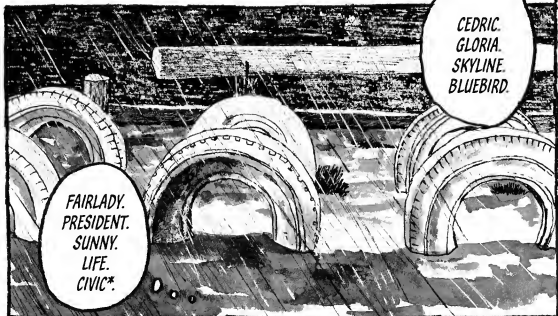


THEN
THE AUTO-
REPAIR SHOP
WHERE DAD
WORKS.



OIL AND
BURNT METAL,
DAD'S SMELL.





FAIRLADY.
PRESIDENT.
SUNNY.
LIFE.
CIVIC*.

CEDRIC.
GLORIA.
SKYLINE.
BLUEBIRD.

*Nissan and Honda models popular in the early '70s



WONDER
WHAT'S
FOR LUNCH
TODAY.



THE BELL
AFTER
FOURTH
PERIOD.

Street calligraphy by third-year students Haruho Edo and Sui Yamashita



PROFESSOR
YUKARI.
PROFESSOR
TAKAHARA.
PROFESSOR
OTA.

PROFESSOR
IKEDA.
PROFESSOR
TANIKAWA.
PROFESSOR
SUZUKI.

KEIKO.
MARIKO.
KINOSHITA.

ENDO.
HARADA.
ASANO.
IIDA.

QUIT IT!
ALL OF
YOU!

QUIET
DOWN,
I CAN'T
STUDY...

OWWW

YAY!

TA-
DAH!

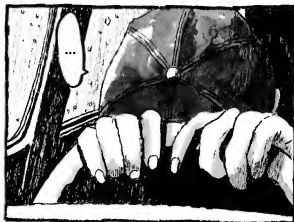
HEE
HEE
HEE.

HEH
HEH.

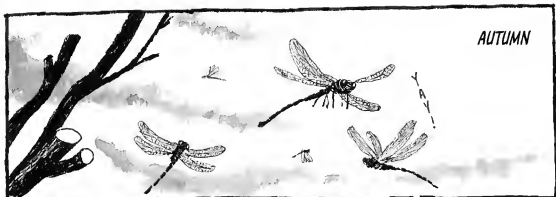
HEE
HEE
HEE.















CLUNK

CLUNK

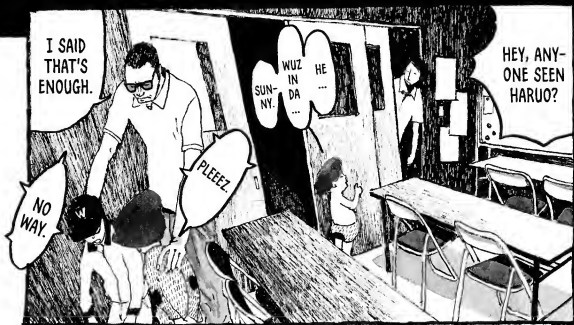
DRIVING'S
DIFFERENT,
AIN'T IT!

YOU'LL
NEVER
CATCH
ME!



VROOOOM

HA HA HA HA HA



I SAID
THAT'S
ENOUGH.

NO
WAY.

PLEEEZ.

SUN-
NY.

WUZ
IN DA
...

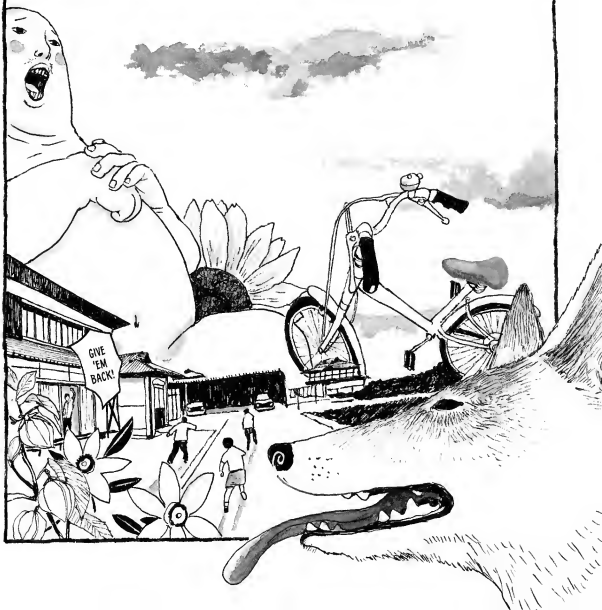
HE
...

HEY, ANY-
ONE SEEN
HARUO?



Row row row
your boat
Gently down
the stream...

HA HA HA
HA
HA
HA



CHAPTER 2

"Why're
Dracula's
fingernails
so long?"

"'Cause
he doesn't
cut 'em."

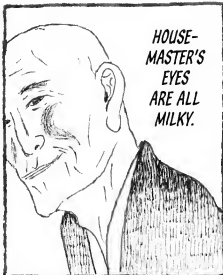
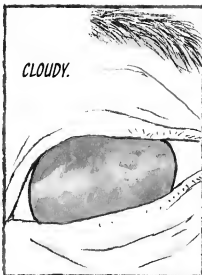








CLOUDY.



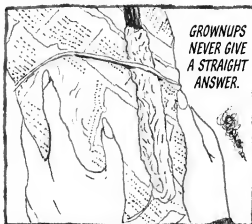
HOUSE-
MASTER'S
EYES
ARE ALL
MILKY.



STILL
WARM!

FRIDAYS
WE PACK
LUNCH FOR
SCHOOL.

MAKE SURE
YOU GET THE
RIGHT ONE,
KIDS.



GROWNUPS
NEVER GIVE
A STRAIGHT
ANSWER.



YOU'LL JUST
HAVE TO WAIT
AND SEE...

MISS
MITSUKO,
WHAT'S
FOR LUNCH
TODAY?

EVERY MORNING
HARUO SMELLS
HIS NIVEA
CREAM.



THE NEW
KID, SEI, TAKES
THREE MILLION
YEARS GETTING
READY.

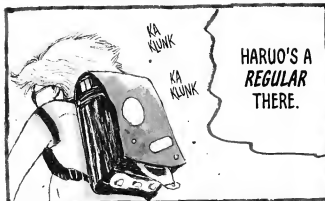


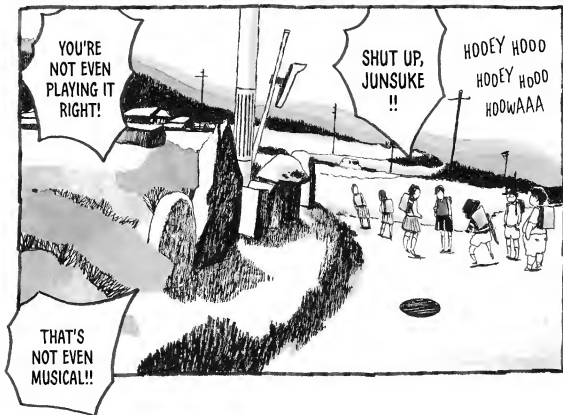
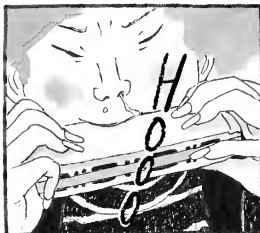
KURIMARU'S
LUCKY HE
DOESN'T HAVE
SCHOOL.

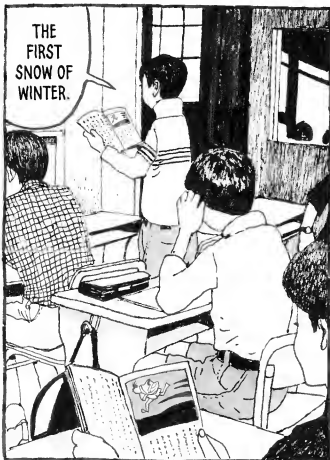
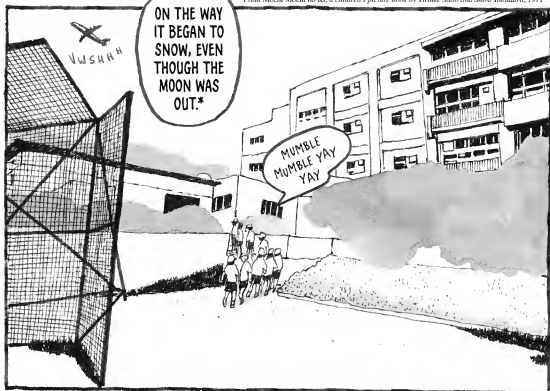




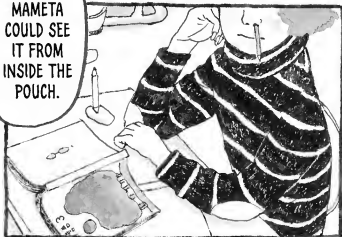








MAMETA
COULD SEE
IT FROM
INSIDE THE
POUCH.



VERY
GOOD.



SO HE
GAVE THE
DOCTOR
A KICK
IN THE
BACK.

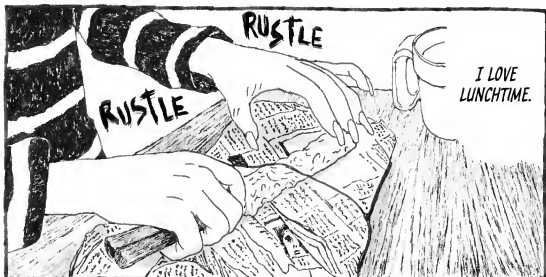


HEY.

BOOORING.

JUNSUKE,
YOU READ
NEXT.





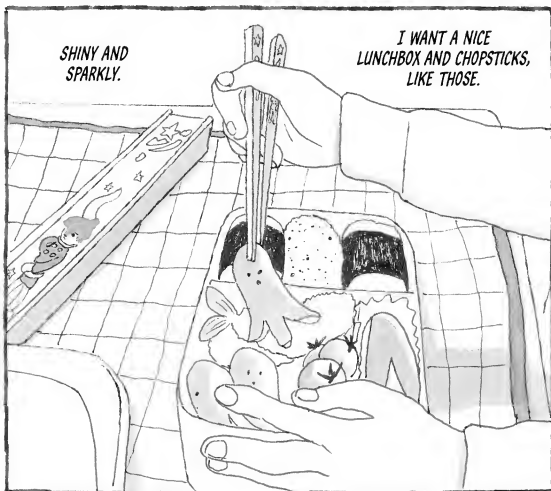


...I'M
JUST
JEALOUS.

SHORT

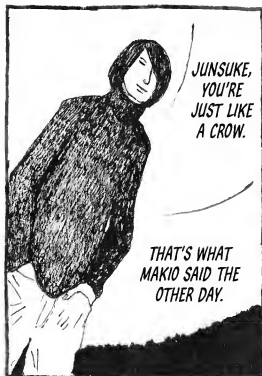


BUT,
REALLY...



SHINY AND
SPARKLY.

I WANT A NICE
LUNCHBOX AND CHOPSTICKS,
LIKE THOSE.



JUNSUKE,
YOU'RE
JUST LIKE
A CROW.

THAT'S WHAT
MAKIO SAID THE
OTHER DAY.

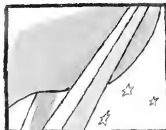


I LIKE
SHINY
STUFF.



SPARKLE

SPARKLE...



ALL
SHINY.

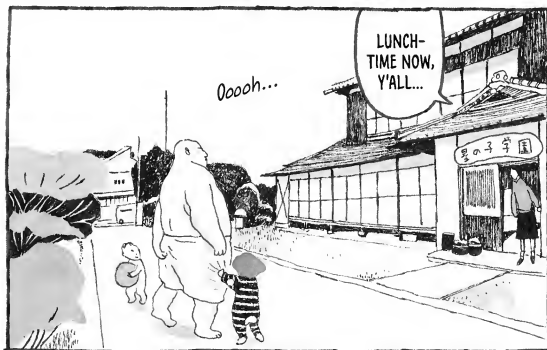
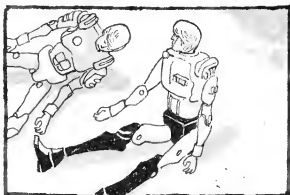
THOSE
CHOP-
STICKS
LOOK
JUST
LIKE
CANDY.

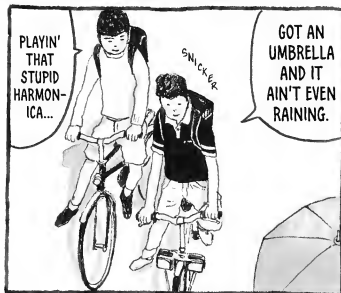
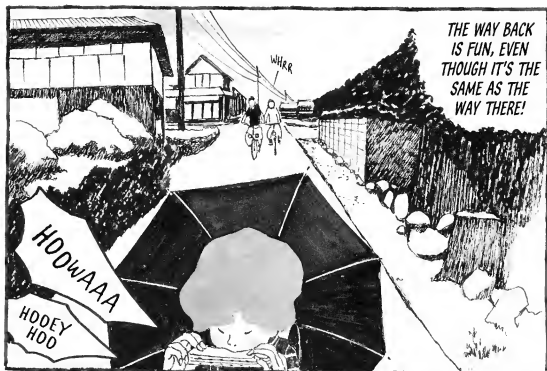


I HEARD CROWS
EAT THE EYES
OUT OF CATS.

YUK.









Y A A H



EEAGH !!

AGH.



HOLD
THIS,
JUNSUKE
!!

KIDS IN THE
HOME CALL
HARUO WHITE.



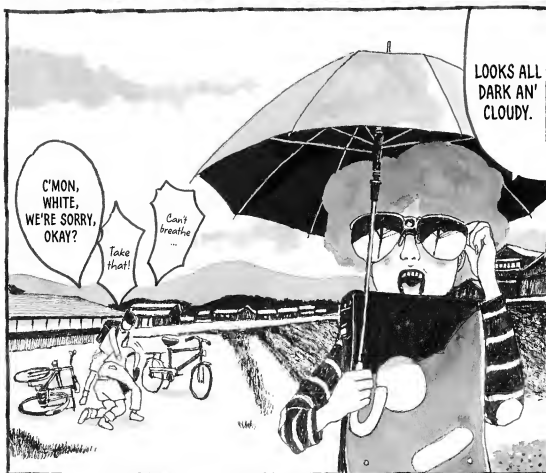
HORNY-
KEN'S
SHADES.

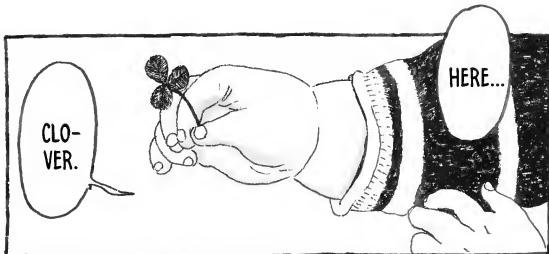
LOOK
...

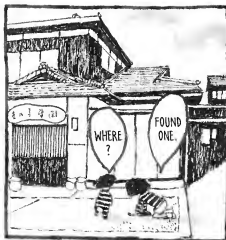
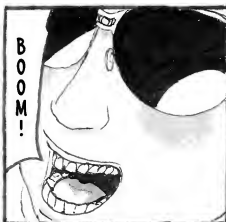
THEY CALL HIM THAT
BECAUSE HIS HAIR'S
ALL WHITE.

GAK!!

YANK









SHAME ON
YOU GIRLS
FOR NOT
EATING
EVERY-
THING.

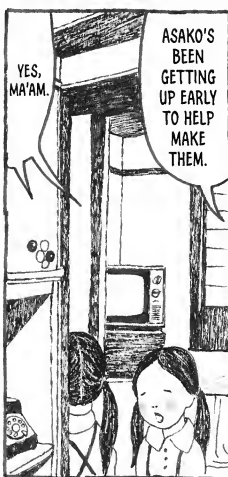
SORRRRRY!



YOU'RE
RIGHT.

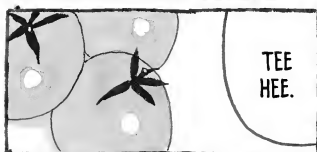
Look...

TWINs.
THEY EVEN
HAVE THE
SAME
LEFT-
OVERS.



YES,
MA'AM.

ASAKO'S
BEEN
GETTING
UP EARLY
TO HELP
MAKE
THEM.



TEE
HEE.





Book cover: Animal Encyclopedia



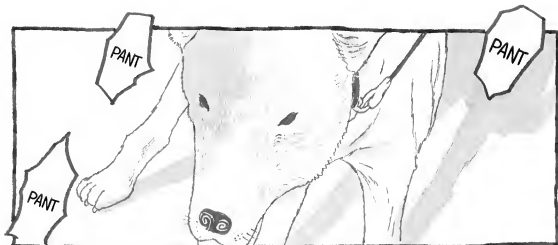




HARUO, CAN
YOU COME TO
OTA'S HOUSE
WITH ME?

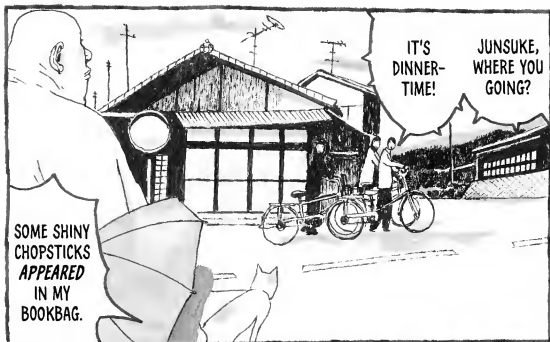
NO
WAY.

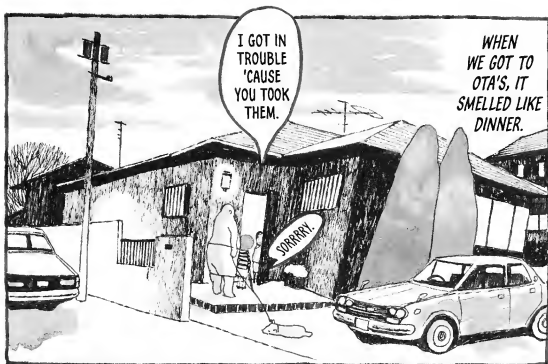


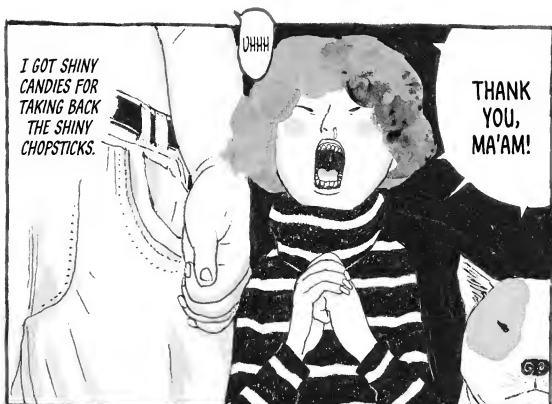


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ME AND TARO
WALKED HOME
SINGING.

Life is
but a
dream...

CHAPTER 3

"Why do girls
always cry?"

"'Cause
almost nothin'
can beat a
girl's tears."



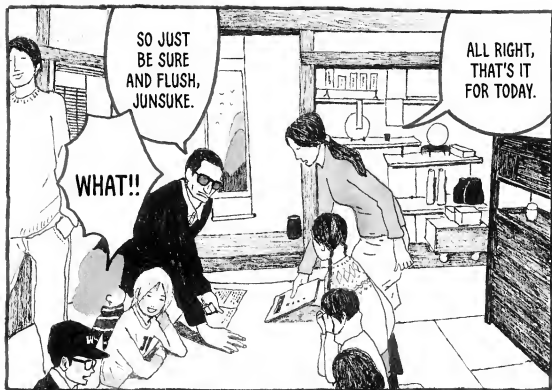










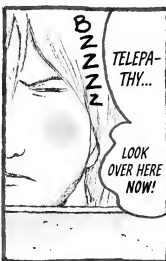


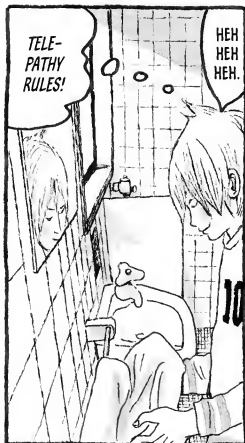


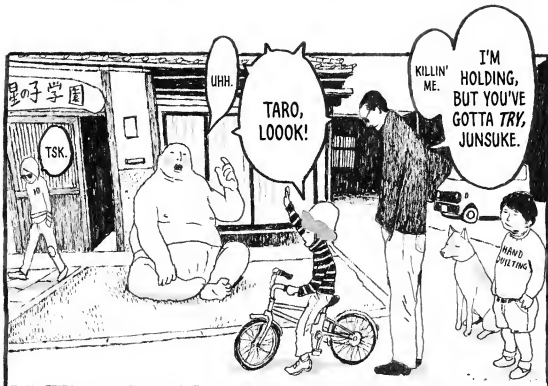
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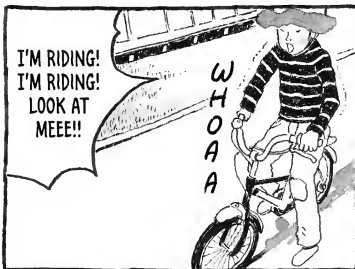


*Signs: "Put slippers back", "Flush"

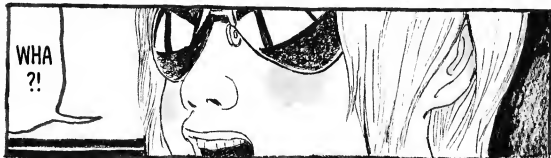














BET
YOU'RE
DYING TO
KNOW
WHO...

MEGUMU'S
IN LOVE
WITH
SOMEONE
ELSE.

WHAT THE
HELL ARE
YOU TALKIN'
ABOUT?



LIKE I
CARE!



JUS'
KIDDIN'.



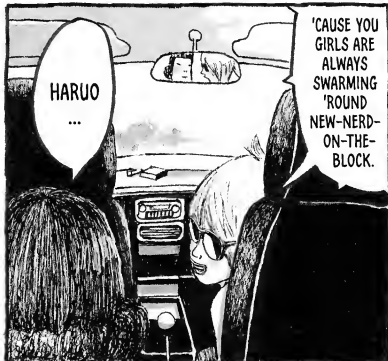
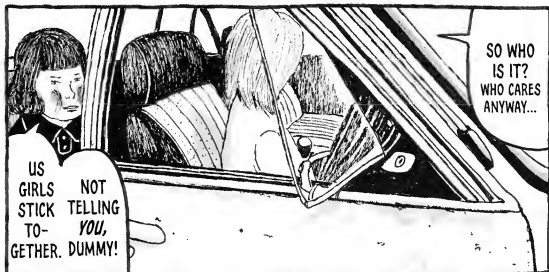
TSK.

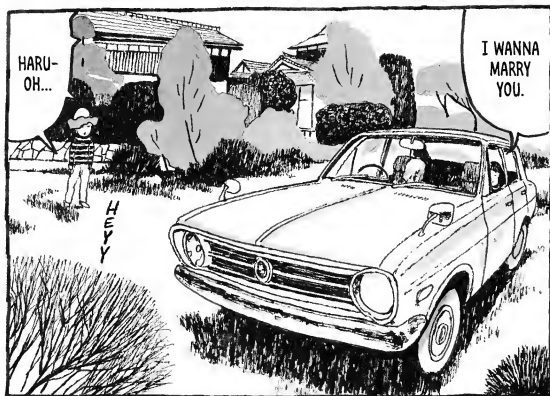
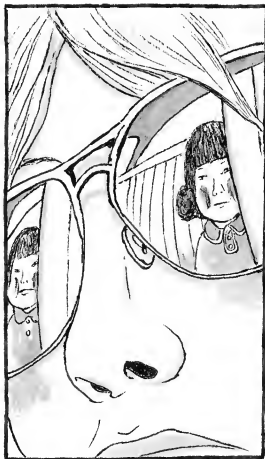


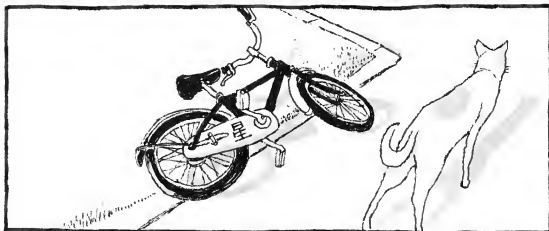
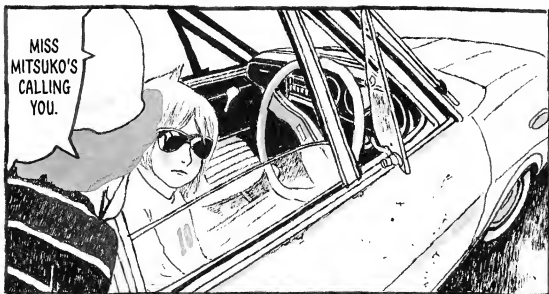
JULIE*
...

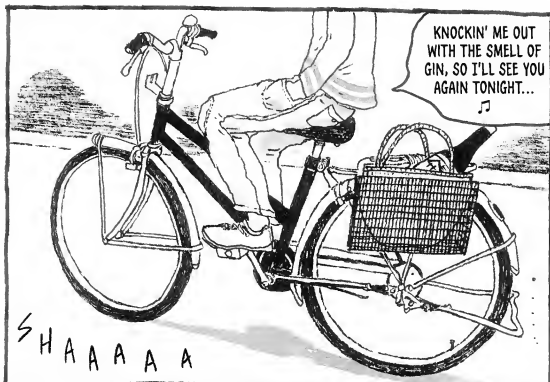


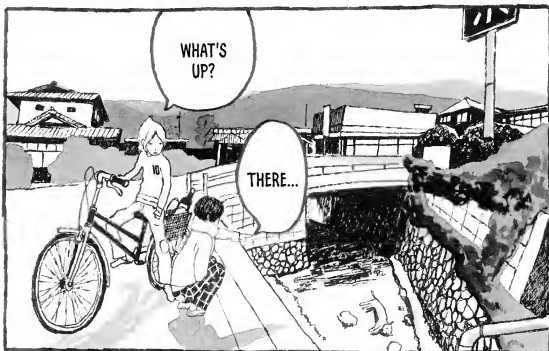
HE'S
SOMEONE
FROM THE
HOME...



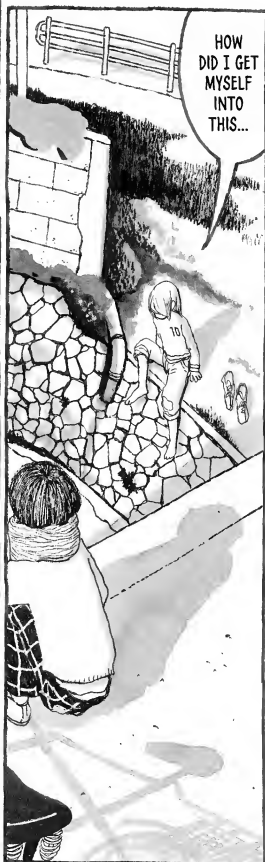








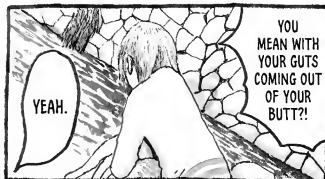






WHAT
NOW?!

HARUO,
DO YOU
...



YEAH.

YOU
MEAN WITH
YOUR GUTS
COMING OUT
OF YOUR
BUTT?!



DO YOU
THINK
IT'LL BE
LIKE THIS
WHEN I
DIE?



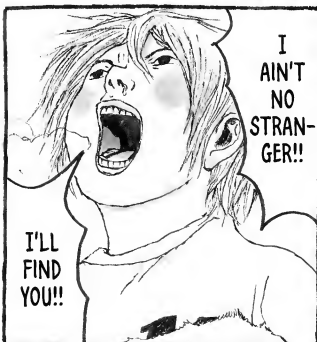
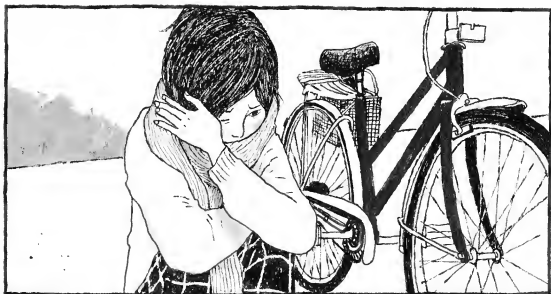
Y'KNOW
?

NO ONE
REALLY
CARES
ABOUT
ORPHANS.



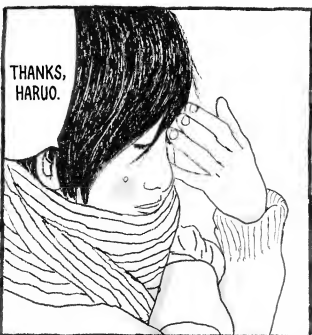
LIKE
IF A CAR
KNOCKED
ME IN THE
RIVER AND
NO ONE
FOUND
ME.







THANKS,
HARUO.

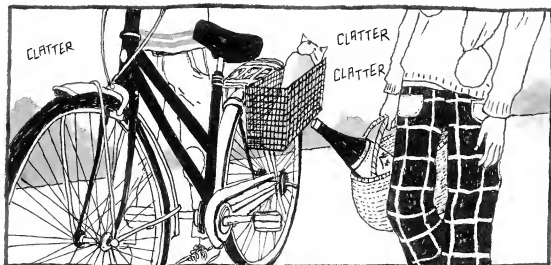


TELL ME
ABOUT
IT.

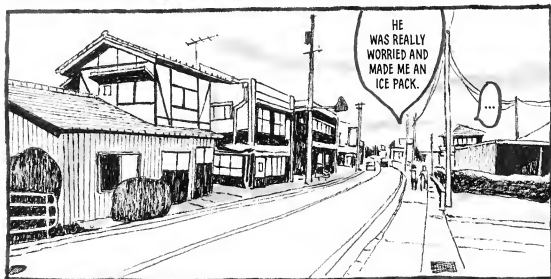
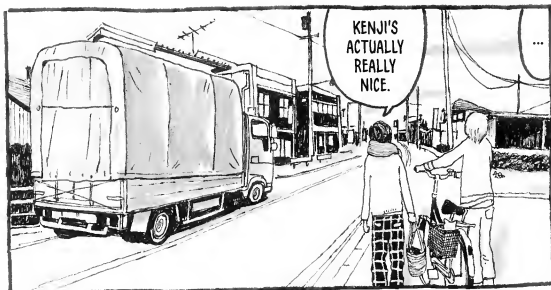
YEAH
...

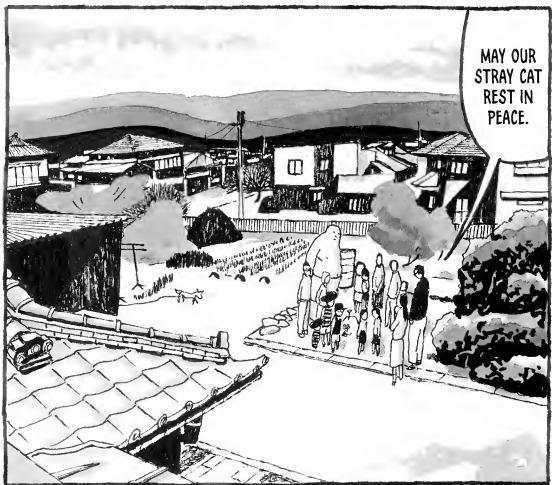
YOU'LL
CATCH A
COLD...

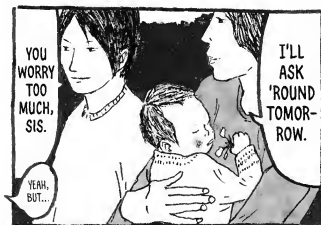
GET
BACK UP
HERE...

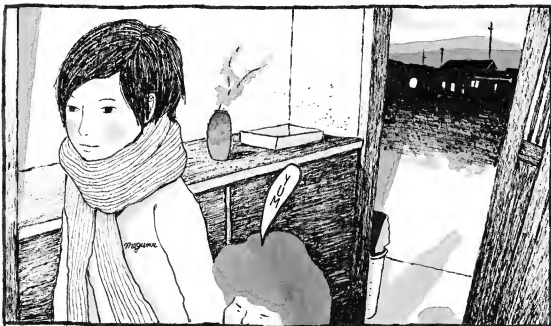










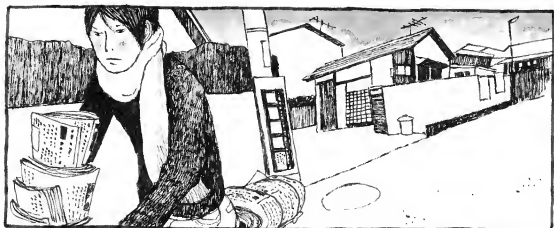
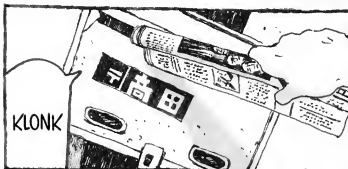
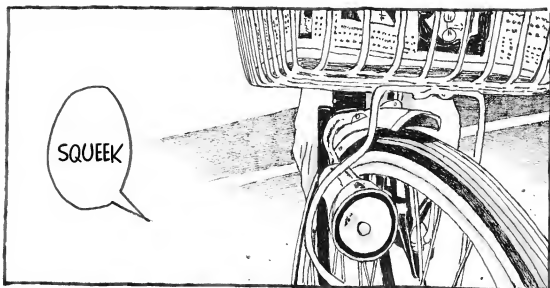


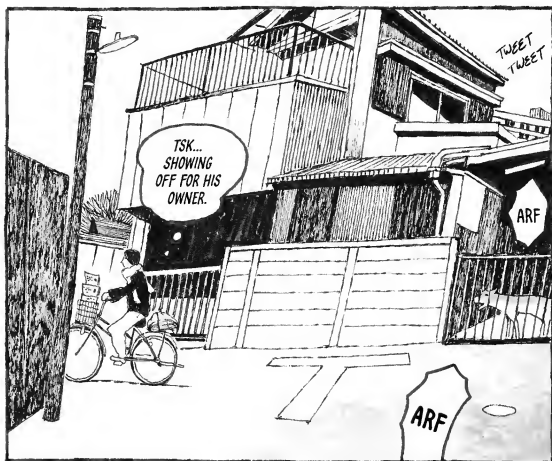
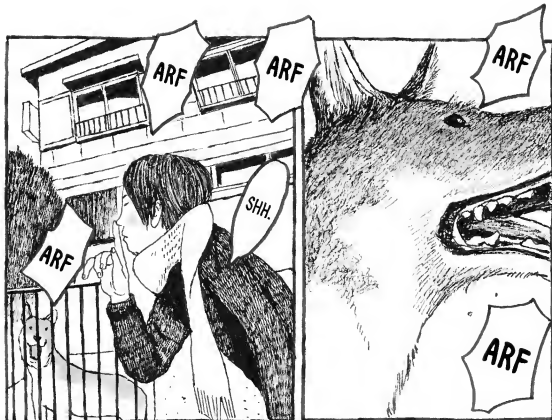
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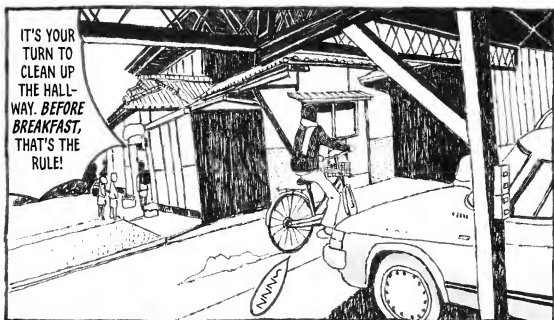
"Whaddya
wanna be
when you
grow up?"

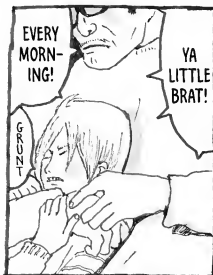
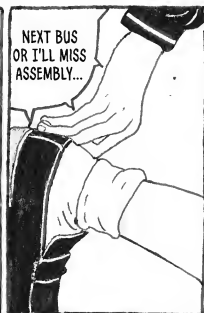
"A spy and
a racecar
driver and
a boxing
champion."

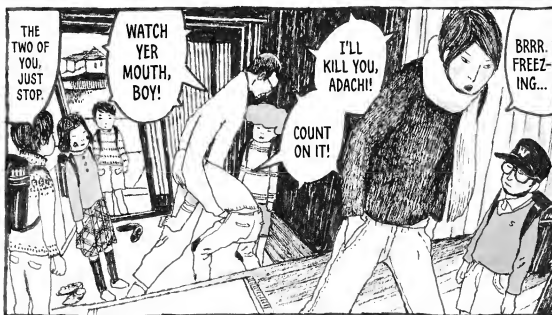




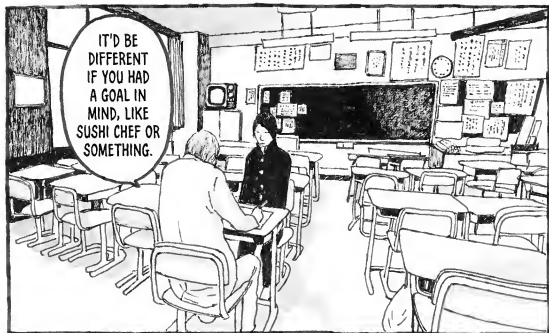


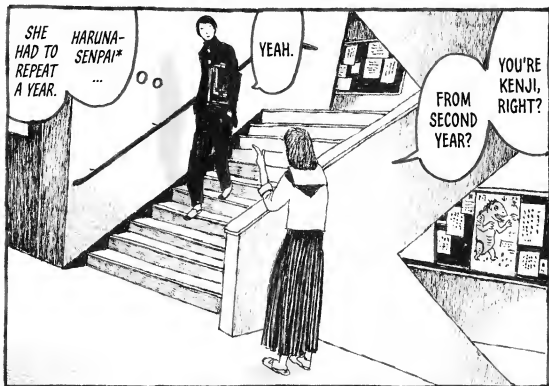
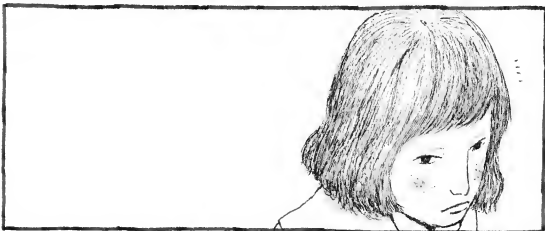




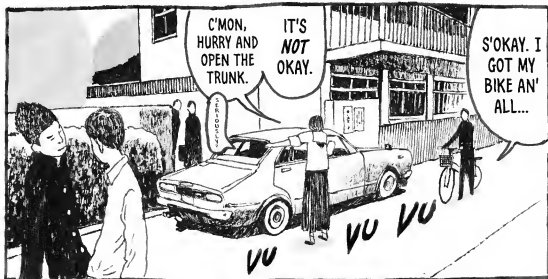


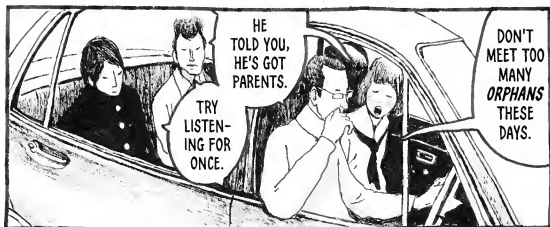
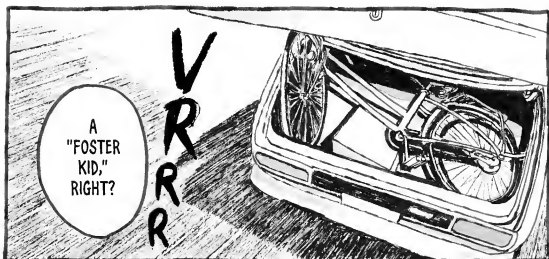








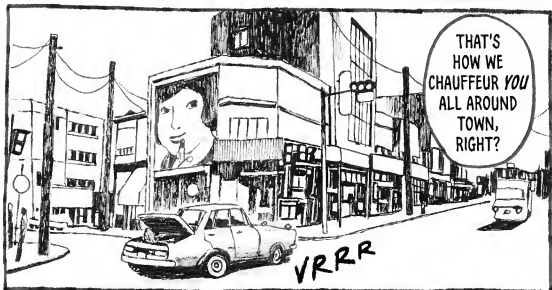






NOW,
NOW...

NOT LIKE
GUYS WHO
JUST DRIVE
AROUND IN
CARS THEIR
PARENTS
BOUGHT.



THAT'S
HOW WE
CHAUFFEUR *YOU*
ALL AROUND
TOWN,
RIGHT?

VRRR



HERE...

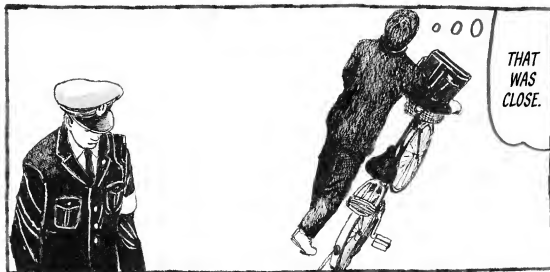
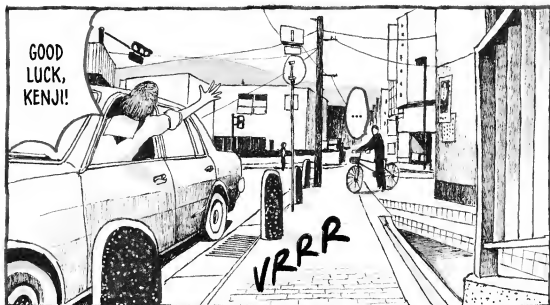
THANKS.

NAIL



OKAY, UH...
SURE
...

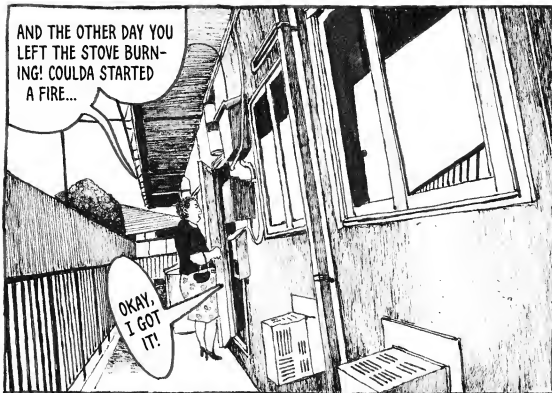
SMOKE?





*Signs: Love Boy, Prepper







HUH?



OH, I'M
SORRY,
YOUNG
MAN.

CLOP



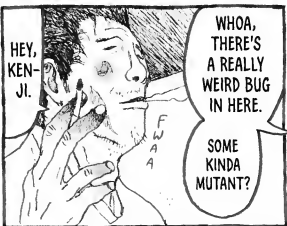
KENJI?



NO
ONE YOU
KNOW.

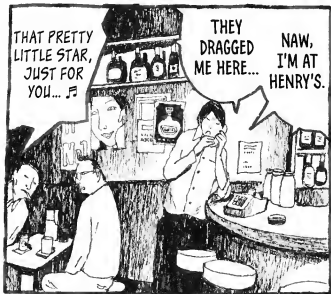
WHO'S
THAT
LADY?







"From 'Hoshizora ni Ryūto wo', a famous eka dōtō song by Chiyoko Shimokura and Kamiko Moriya, 1963.







STILL
CAN'T
FIND YOUR
MOM?



THE
FOLKS AT
THE HOME
SAID SHE'S
LIVING WITH
A NEW GUY
IN NAGOYA
...

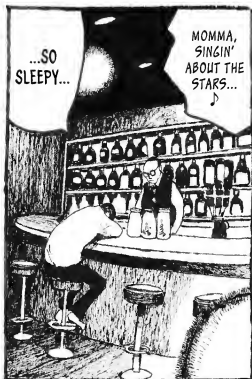


DECORATE
THESE FINGERS
WITH STARS...

NO POINT
IN TALKING
TO HIM.



YOU TRY
LISTENING
TO THEM
WHILE JUST
DRINKING
COLA.





UNNH.

OKAY DAD,
I'M GOING
NOW.



...GETS
SOGGY
FAST...

JUST
TALKING
IN HIS
SLEEP.

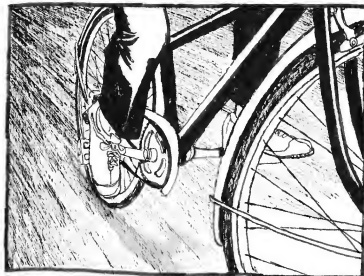


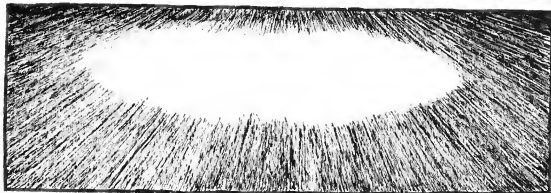
EAT IT
WHILE
IT'S
FRESH...

WHAT
THE
HELL?



I WROTE
DOWN THE
APPOINTMENT,
OKAY?









HONK

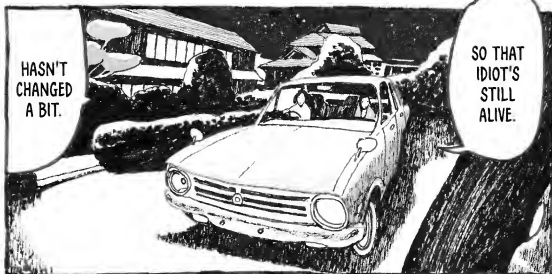
OUTTA
THA'
WAY!!

KZOI

HA HA
HA HA
HA...

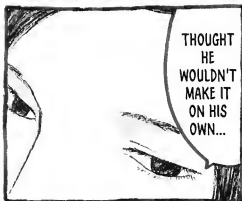






HASN'T
CHANGED
A BIT.

SO THAT
IDIOT'S
STILL
ALIVE.



THOUGHT
HE
WOULDN'T
MAKE IT
ON HIS
OWN...



HE'D
BE BETTER
OFF DEAD

...

HEYYY.



I DUNNO.
SHE WAS
JUS'
THERE.



WHAT
DO YOU
MEAN?



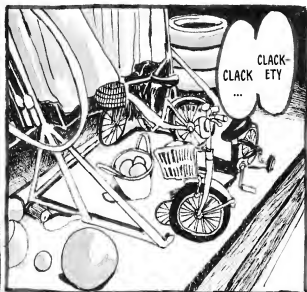
ACTUALLY,
THERE WAS
A LADY
THERE
WHO FIT
RIGHT
IN.



HMM.

...

...



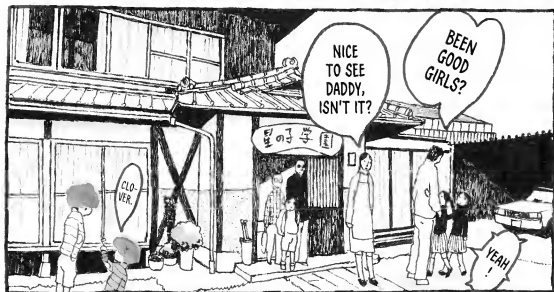


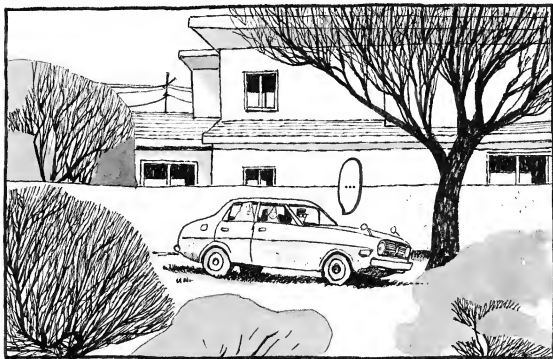
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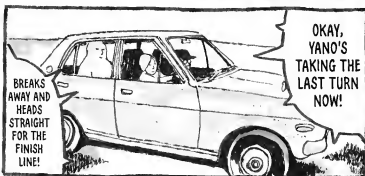
"Whaddya
do when
you feel like
cryin' at
night?"

"Me, I sing."









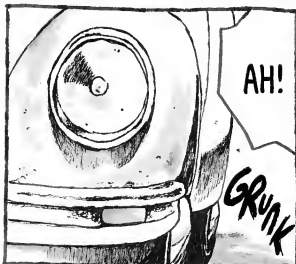
BREAKS
AWAY AND
HEADS
STRAIGHT
FOR THE
FINISH
LINE!

OKAY,
YANO'S
TAKING THE
LAST TURN
NOW!



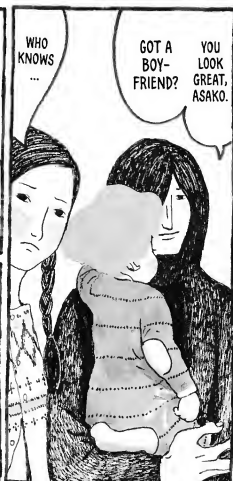
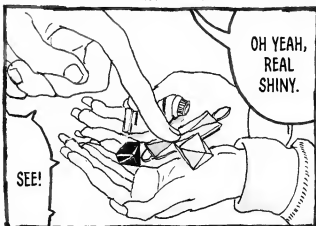
CROWD
GOES
WILD!



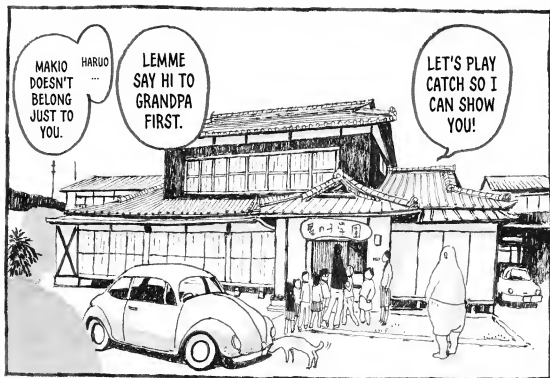




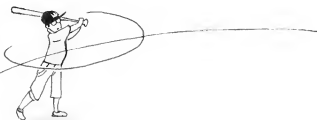






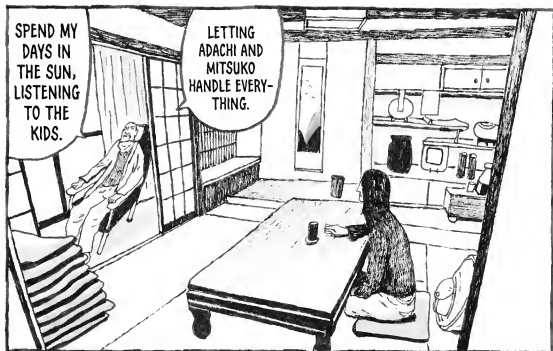


SWISH



No fun playing ball with Sei.



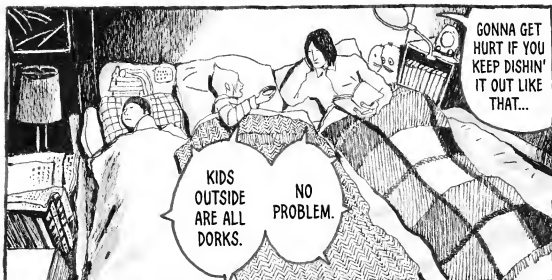




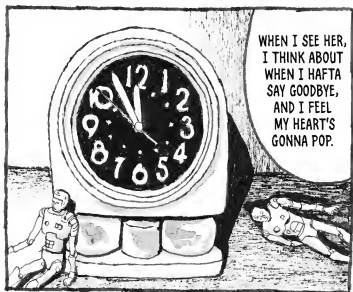
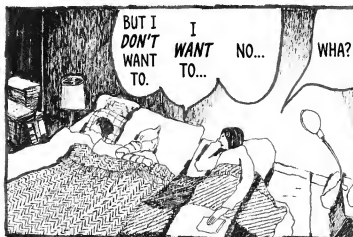








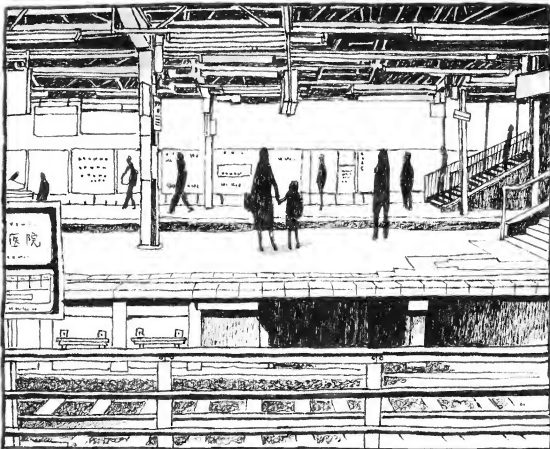
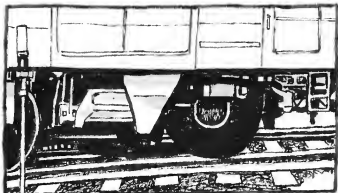
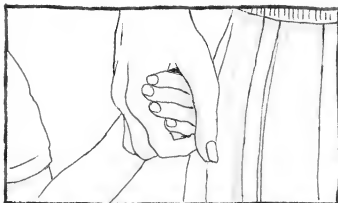




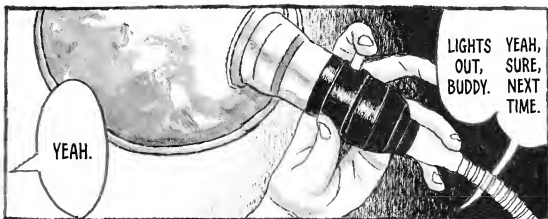
AT FIRST,
I USED
TO DREAM
ABOUT HER
NEXT VISIT
EVERY
DAY...

BUT
THERE'S
ONLY THREE
VISITS
A YEAR,
RIGHT?

AND HALFWAY
THROUGH
THAT'S ALL I
CAN THINK OF,
Y'KNOW?







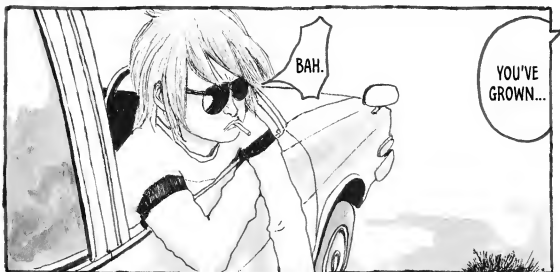


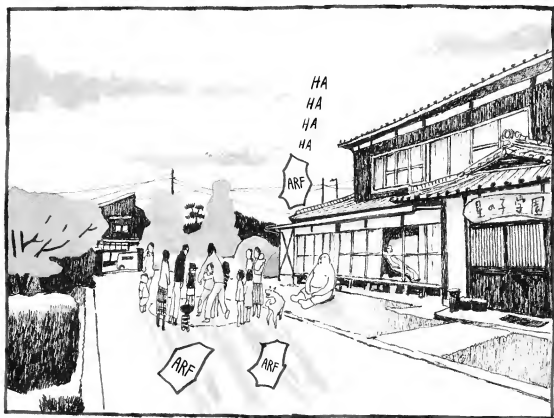
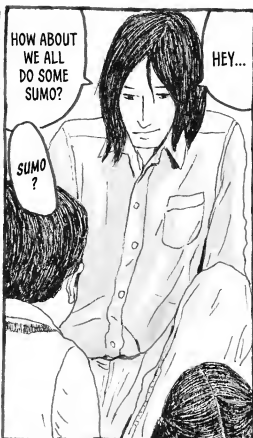




*Children's picture book series by Rieko Nishigawa and Yoriko Yamanaka, beginning in 1965.





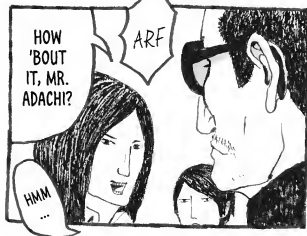
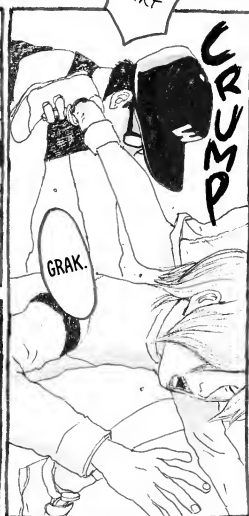




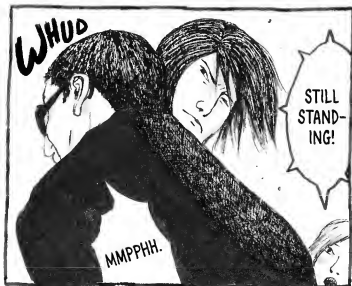
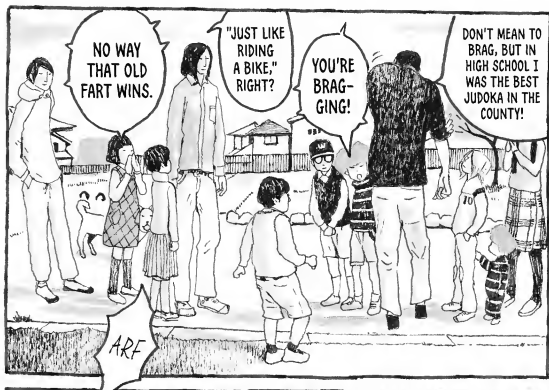
ARF



NOT FAIR!
YOU'RE A
GROWN-UP,
BUT YOU'RE
DOING IT
FOR REAL!



HMM...







GO!

HEY,
GOOD
FIGHT!

ARF

ARF

GOO

GOO

HA
STILL
STANDING!
STILL
STANDING!

HA

HA



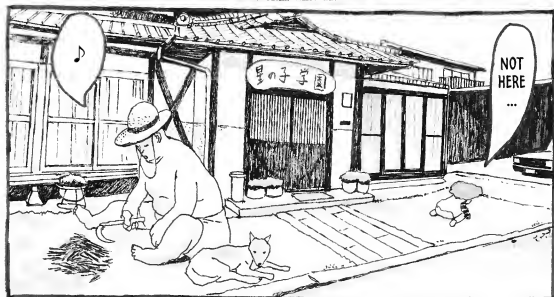
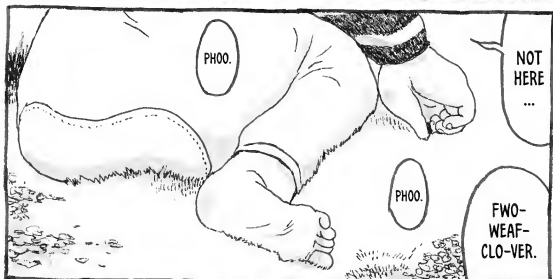


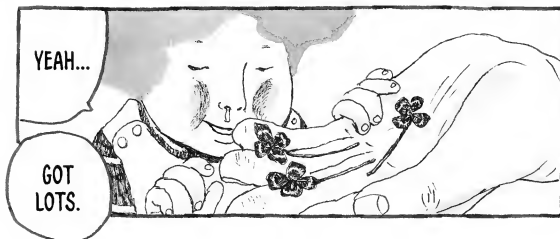
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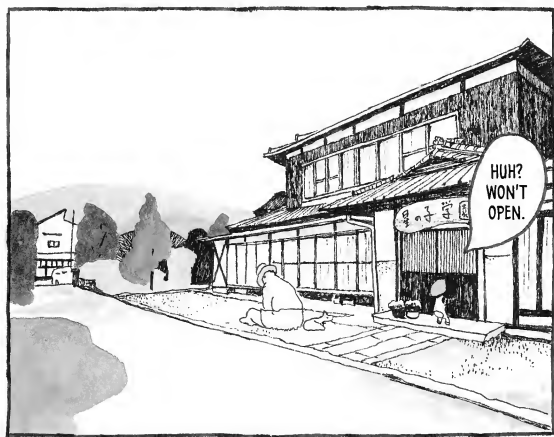
“Whaddya
think’s for
dinner
tonight?”

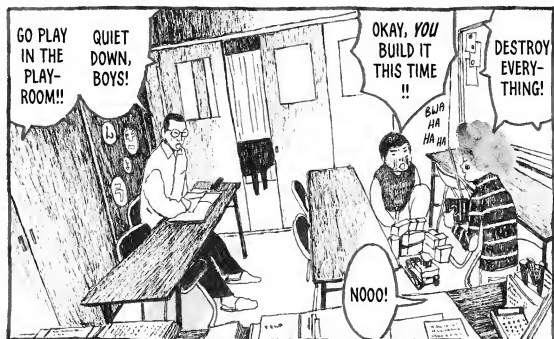
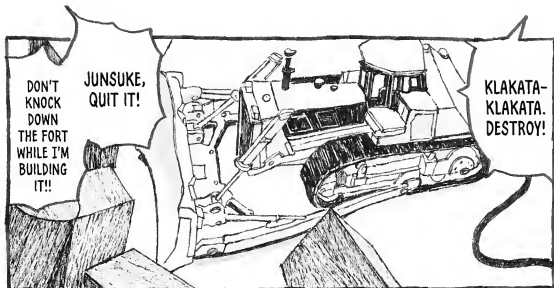
“Miss Mitsuko
said fritters.”

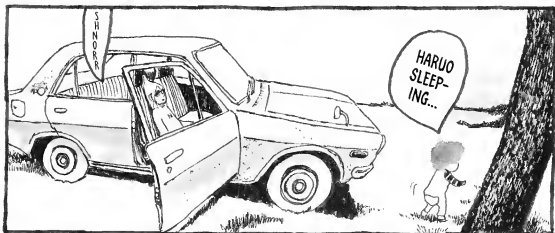
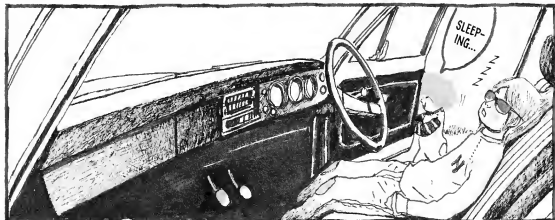
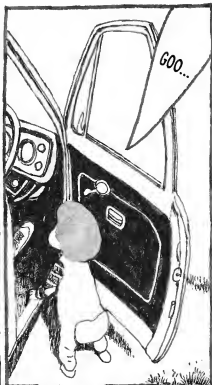




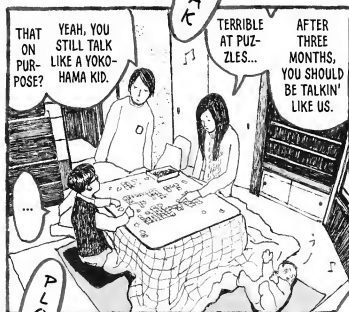
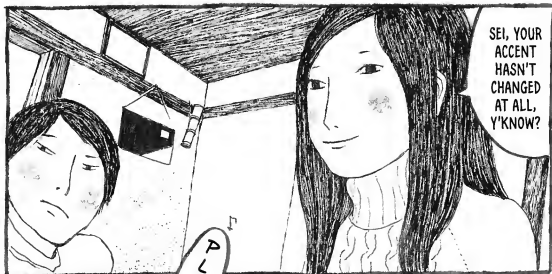














"I AM VERY
GOOD AT
RUNNING."

HE'D SAY,
"GOOD DAY,
MY NAME
IS HARUO."



HIS
HAIR WAS
DARKER
TOO.

HARUO'S
TOKYO
ACCENT WAS
SO CUTE
WHEN HE
FIRST GOT
HERE.



WHEN I GROW
UP I'M GOING TO
PITCH FOR THE
GIANTS.

AND... AND...
I LIKE
BASEBALL.

...AND
STUFF
LIKE
THAT.



DIDN'T
THINK HE'D
GET SO
WILD.

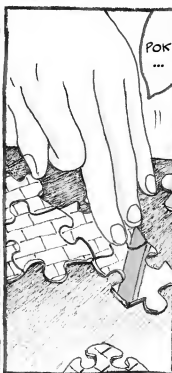
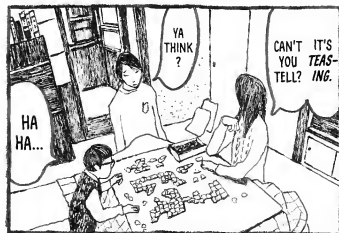
LIKE A KID
ON A TV
COMMERCIAL.

WOW.

COO

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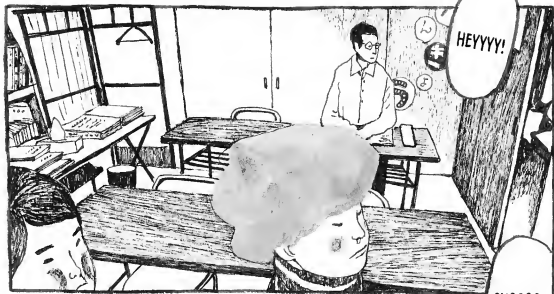
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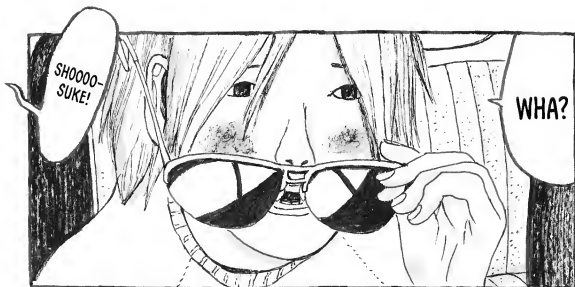




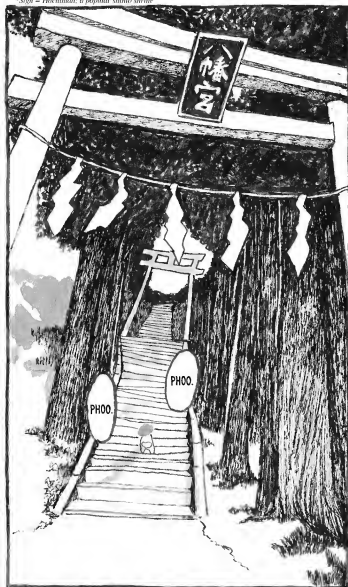


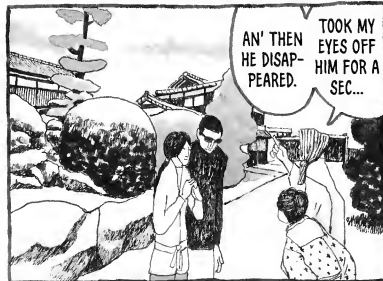
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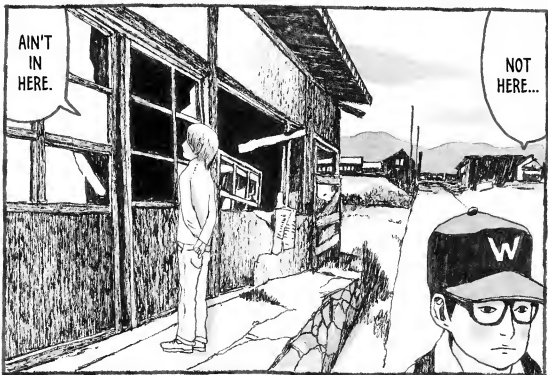


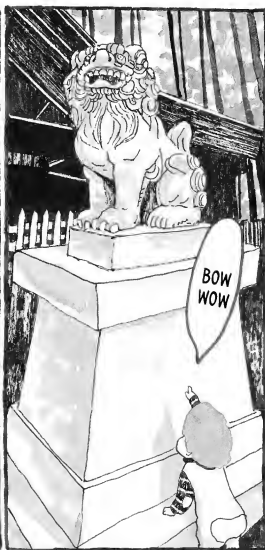


*Sign = Houshinwa: a popular shinto shrine











BUT I
LOOKED
ALL OVER
THE ROAD
BY THE
HOME!!

THEY'LL
PROB'LY FIND
HIM BEFORE
WE GET
BACK.

NO WAY
SHO COULD
GET THIS
FAR, JUN.



BUT
NO MORE
CRYIN'.
OKAY,
OKAY,
WE'LL
GO
LOOK.

HE'S
PROB'LY ALL
ALONE AN'
SCARED AN'
CRYIN'!!



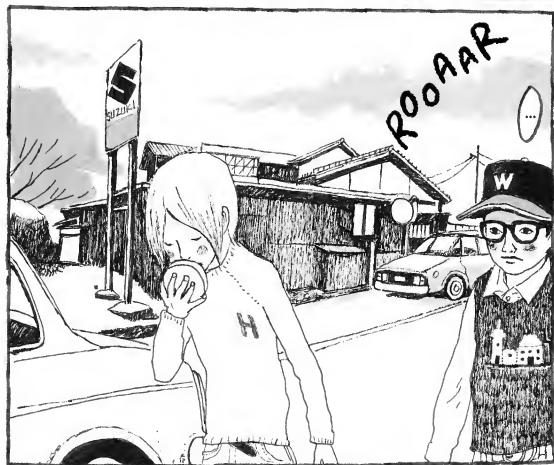
I
SEE...

SEARCHED
ALL OVER
THE HOUSE.

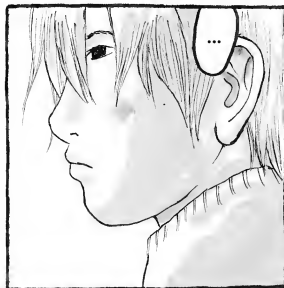


SHOOOO-
SUKE!

GONNA
BE DARK
SOON.

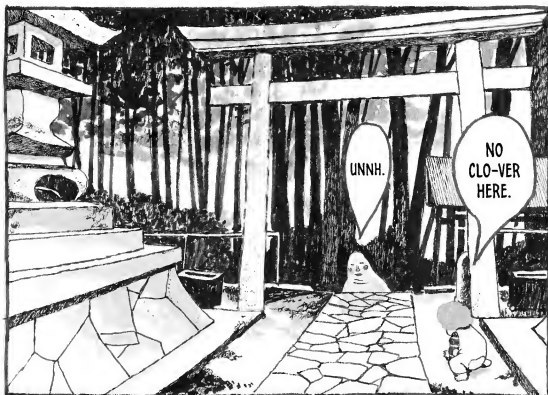


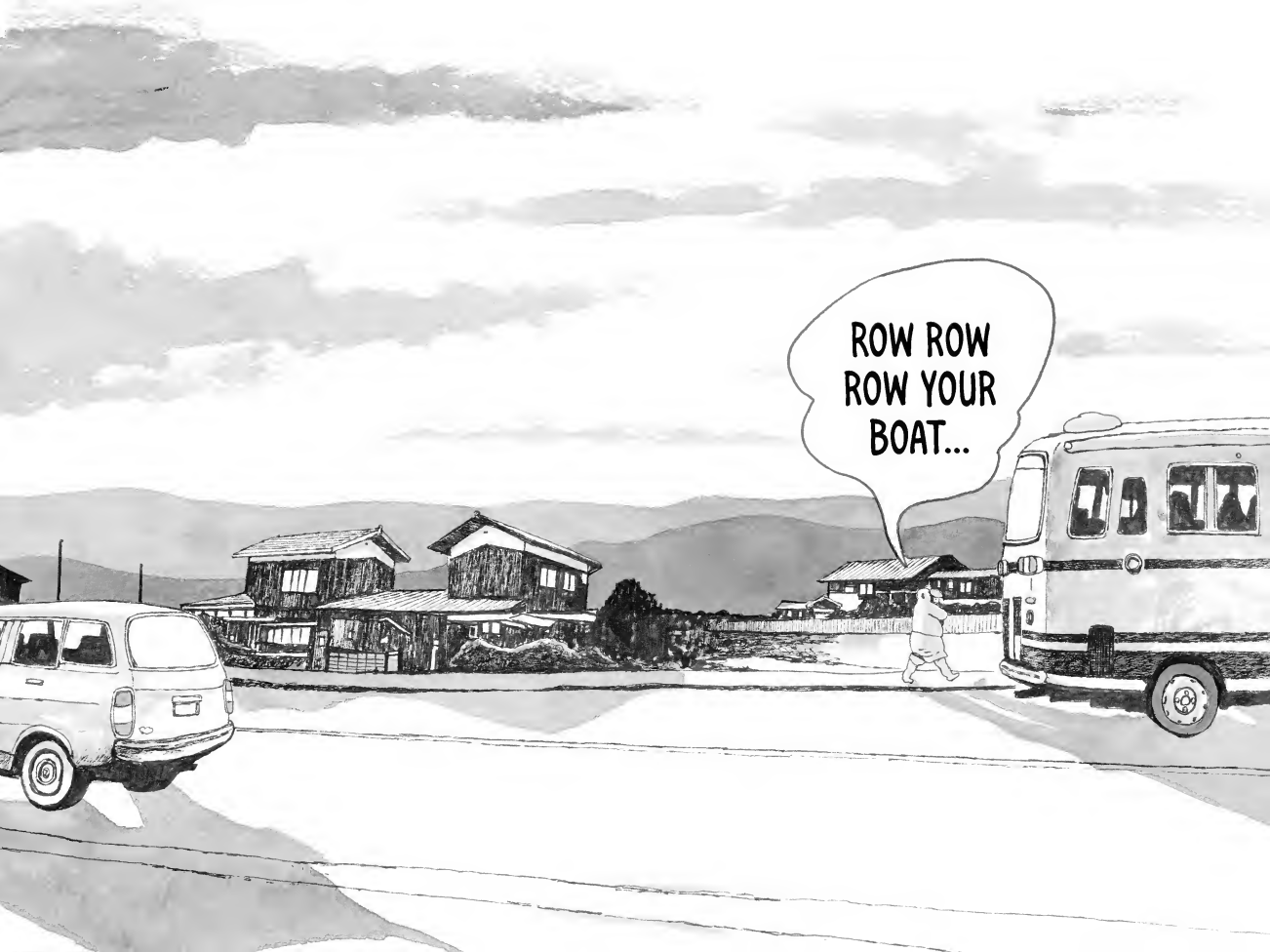




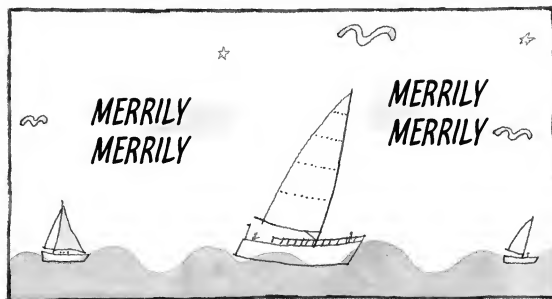


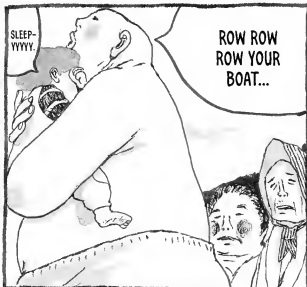
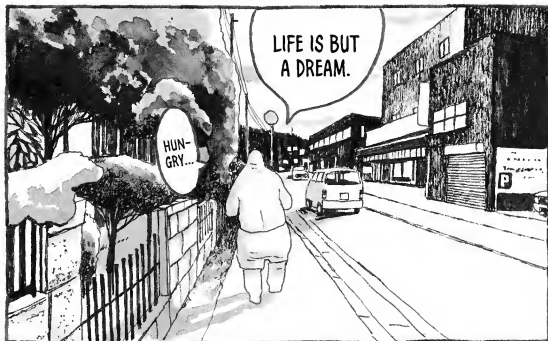


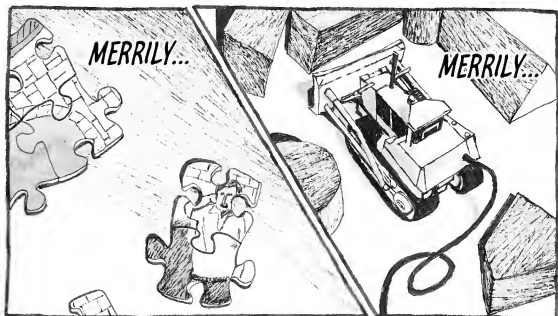




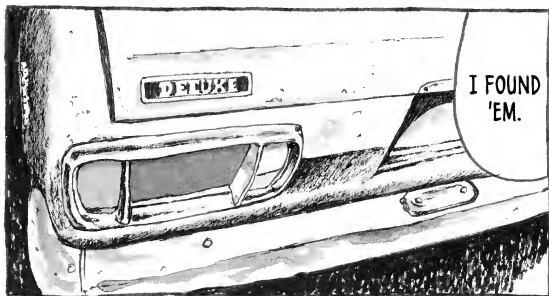
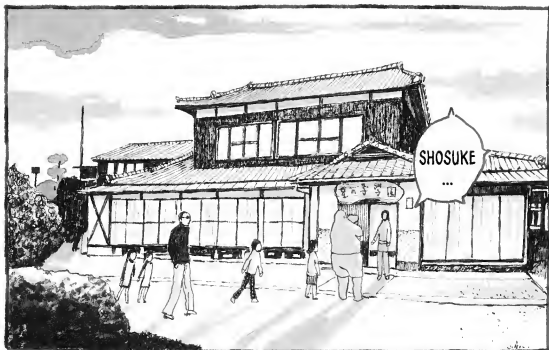
ROW ROW
ROW YOUR
BOAT...











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